

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the section of text from page 17, line 3 to line 15.

Please replace the section heading at page 18, line 10 with the following rewritten section heading:

-- ~~MEANS TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM~~SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION --

Please insert the following section heading and new paragraphs at page 54, line 13 with the following:

-- BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

Fig. 1 is a SEM photograph showing a particle array structure of a surface of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of spherical fine particles produced by the present invention;

Fig. 2 is a SEM photograph showing a particle array structure of a vertical section (vertical to the surface) of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of spherical fine particles produced by the present invention;

Fig. 3 shows a visible ray reflection spectrum of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of specific spherical fine particles having a black color type achromatic color produced by the present invention;

Fig. 4 shows an ultraviolet ray reflection spectrum of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of specific spherical fine particles produced by the present invention;

Fig. 5 shows an infrared ray reflection spectrum of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of specific spherical fine particles produced by the present invention; and

Fig. 6 shows an infrared ray transmission spectrum of a three-dimensionally ordered lattice of specific spherical fine particles shown in Fig. 5 in the infrared region. --

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 83, at line 11 that continues onto page 84 with the following rewritten paragraph:

-- In the present invention, there is no specific limitation on the flat base member on which the green sheet (or suspension layer) is formed, and any of transparent, semi-transparent and opaque members is employable. Examples of such members include plastic films, rigid plastic sheets, glass plates, ceramic plates, various steel plates, stainless steel plates, aluminum alloy plates, copper plate, wood plate and fabrics. As the plastic members, usual organic polymers are employable without any restriction, provided that they

have water resistance or solvent resistance because the suspension is cast thereon. Examples of the transparent members include polyesters, such as polyethylene terephthalate and polyethylene naphthalate, acrylic resins, such as polymethyl (meth)acrylate and polyethyl (meth)acrylate, polycarbonate, and polystyrene ~~and polystyrene~~. The base member may be an adhesive sheet, and in this case, the base of the adhesive sheet can be at least one material selected from steel plate, stainless steel plate, aluminum plate, aluminum alloy plate, ceramic plate, mortar plate, glass plate, plastic plate, wood plate and thick paper. --

Please delete the section heading at page 87, line 22.

Please delete the section heading and entire section beginning at page 104, line 23 to page 105, line 24.